## House Resolution No. 3994

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to recognize those Show-Me State residents who bring honor and glory to themselves and this great state through the excellence of their competitive sports endeavors; and

Whereas, Tylor Hines of Stockton has attained considerable distinction in the sport of horseshoe pitching by qualifying for the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association World Championship through his top three finishes in the 9 and Under Division at preliminary tournaments during the summer of 2003; and

Whereas, during the World Championships competition in Eau Claire, Wisconsin, from August 11 through August 14, 2003, eighth-ranked Tylor Hines pitched more than seven hundred horseshoes in fifteen round-robin games to take Second in his age category; and

Whereas, stating his unabashed preference for throwing ringers and winning, eight-year-old Tylor Hines returned to his hometown on Friday, August 15, 2003, to make the first day of Mighty Mite practice, only to break his left arm just five short days before the Missouri State Horseshoe Championships; and

**Whereas**, ranked number one in the Pee Wee Division going into the Missouri State Horseshoe Championships on Saturday, August 30, 2003, Tylor Hines continued demonstrating his prowess by capturing First Place in that prestigious venue; and

**Whereas**, the beloved son of Danny and Amy Hines, Tylor Hines began pitching horseshoes two years ago under the guidance of his grandfather, Maurice Hines, of the Stockton Horseshoe Club:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the accurate horseshoe pitching demonstrated by Tylor Hines during local, regional, state, and national competition and to convey to him this legislative body's heartiest congratulations for placing Second at the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association World Championships and First at the Missouri State Horseshoe Championships; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Tylor Hines of Stockton, Missouri.

Offered by
Representative Ronnie Miller
District No. 133
I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3994, adopted September 9, 2003.
Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker